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WILL FIGHT ALONE

Shawnee County Candidates Independent of Committee.

General Body Went Too Heavy on Assessments.

Republican candidates in Shawnee county may conduct their own campaign without the care and attention of the county committee.

They have indicated this attitude to the executive committee of the county committee and some of them declare they will stand pat unless the county committee agrees to go easy on the assessment.

The candidates agreed at a meeting to stand for a two per cent assessment for campaign purposes—two per cent of the first year's salary in the offices they seek. At that time the committee agreed that the right kind of a campaign could not be made for less than six per cent.

Further conferences were held and the candidates conceded a point. They agreed to pay in a three per cent assessment. The committee in the meantime agreed to make a campaign upon a four and one-half per cent assessment.

There is still one and one-half per cent difference between the candidates and the committee. Half a dozen candidates declared today they would not go above three per cent. John Chaney, county chairman, is quoted by candidates as saying the campaign cannot be made with a three per cent assessment. The same bunch of candidates said today that unless the assessment is reduced to three per cent they will make their own campaigns independent of the county committee.

Another meeting of the candidates with the committee is being arranged for. At the last meeting some of the candidates were absent but were represented by proxies. Hugh Fisher held a proxy and took an active part in the meeting. In the communication received by candidates today from the committee it is stipulated "that candidates must be present in person," that "proxies will not go."

SOLD GAS TOO CHEAPLY

Kansas Dealer Says Companies Would Not Supply Him as a Result.

Because he undersold his competitors, refineries refused to sell gasoline to N. H. Foster of Protection, Comanche county. At least that is the complaint which Foster has filed with Governor Capper and which has been referred to S. M. Brewster, attorney general.

Foster declares he sold gasoline at a fair profit, but below prices quoted by competitors. Suddenly the big refining companies failed to fill his orders. Now he wants the state to investigate.

LOST THREE FINGERS

Frost Boy Found Dynamite Caps—Parents Would Collect From City.

In May, 1914, eight members of the Frost family, then living at 8 Pleasant Place, were sent to the isolation hospital with the smallpox. Included was James Frost, 12 years old.

The boy, J. S. Frost, his father, claims, began to recover after a few days and was allowed to play on the outside of the hospital. There James' father asserts, found a number of small bright shiny objects that looked attractive to play with.

James took them into the kitchen of the hospital. In the course of events there was an explosion. The bright shiny objects were dynamite caps.

Today the boy, accompanied by his father and mother and W. L. Jamison, their attorney, appeared before the city commission and made a plea for compensation for the three fingers.

Why Society Women Wash Their Own Hair

Few realize how many society women now wash their own hair, not because it is a fad, but because they wish to obtain the greatest possible hair beauty and be sure they are not using anything harmful. The thousands who have found that in washing the hair it is never wise to use a makeshift but is always advisable to use a preparation made for shampooing only, say they get the best results from a simple home-made canthrox mixture. You can enjoy this, the best that is known, for about three cents a shampoo, by getting some canthrox from your druggist, and dissolving a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. Your shampoo is now ready. After its use the hair dries rapidly with uniform color. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear. Your hair will be so fluffy that it will look much heavier than it is. Its lustre and softness will also delight you, while the stimulated scalp gains the health which insures hair growth.

—Advertisement.

PREFERS KANSAS FAIR

Loula Long Passed Up Albany Fair and Rushed to Topeka.

Miss Loula Long, daughter of R. A. Long, Kansas City millionaire, world famous exhibitor of horses, won Monday in a cross continent race from Rochester, N. Y., to Topeka. Miss Long arrived early in the morning on a special train of seven cars with fifteen of her horses. Fifteen other horses had been shipped to Topeka Saturday from the Longview farm in Missouri.

Miss Long was obliged to ship her horses here by express in order to arrive in Topeka in time to make her entries on Monday, the last day. It was a costly race, but she won. Major Dare, the best saddle horse in the world, owned by Miss Long, was one of the fifteen horses on the train. Miss Long rode in a special car.

"I made no attempt to exhibit my horses at the Albany fair this week," said Miss Long. "I preferred to exhibit them here in Kansas where horse flesh and good horse breeding is needed much more. I want people to get away from the idea that a horse show is a society affair. I want horse show to interest the farmers more than the society folks and wish to congratulate the fair management on placing a 25-cent price on all seats in the grandstand."

RIPLEY AFTER 'EM

Santa Fe President Repeats Fight Threat Against Bill.

New York, Sept. 12.—E. P. Ripley, president of the St. Louis, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, announced here last night that he would bring suit to test the constitutionality of the recently enacted eight hour law. He was of the opinion that other western railroads would do likewise. He termed the law confiscatory, called it class legislation and said it was in violation of freedom of contract.

President Ripley came here to attend a directors' meeting.

OPENS BIG FAIR TODAY

Lincoln County Has First Exhibition in Several Years.

Lincoln, Kan., Sept. 12.—The Lincoln county agricultural and stock fair opens here today. Great interest centers in this fair on account of the fact that it is the first held here for many years. Ample buildings have been erected for displays, a fine race track is provided and many noted horsemen are here with their fancy stock. One of the features is the large rest room which contains A. R. Hall's furniture exhibit.

The new sewerage system for Lincoln, entailing an expense of \$47,000, is being put in and when it is completed every home in the town will be connected with the sewer. It will take in about ten miles of the town. Other improvements in the town include more than seven miles of new cement walk and about fifty new electric street lights.

A. E. Achterberg, implement dealer, is erecting a new garage fifty by one hundred and twenty-five feet. This will give Lincoln six garages. Every one who can afford an automobile has one.

Albe Marshall, pioneer stock man and banker, and Mrs. Marshall are eight years on the Pacific coast. While away Mr. Marshall was drafted by the Democrats to make the race for the legislature from Lincoln county. His friends do not expect him to return until after the election and they hope to send him telegrams of congratulation on his election.

FINDS OUT HE'S A "FURRINER"

Resident of White Cloud 60 Years, Dodd Must Be Naturalized.

Hiawatha, Kan., Sept. 12.—Charles Dodd, of White Cloud, who has lived in this country since the 60s has just learned that he is not a citizen of the United States. Dr. Dodd's father, who came from England, never took out his first citizenship papers. But he did not become a fully naturalized citizen of the United States.

Charles Dodd has held many city offices in White Cloud. No one ever thought of doubting his eligibility to these positions. Of late Mr. Dodd had become doubtful about the matter. Wednesday he came to Hiawatha to consult Judge Wm. L. Stuart. Judge Stuart, holding court here, told Mr. Dodd worked for a Hun.

When Mr. Hunter farmed near White Cloud. So Mr. Dodd had Mr. Hunter get Judge Stuart's decision in the matter. It is that Mr. Dodd is not a citizen of the United States. He will take out naturalization papers in Doniphan county.

STUDENTS WILL RUN FARM.

Sumner County Allows Use of Ten Acres for County High School.

Wellington, Kan., Sept. 12.—The commissioners of Sumner county have granted to the county high school located in this city, the use of ten acres of land belonging to the county poor farm, as an experimental tract. The land is located on Slate creek bottom and is valuable.

An extension of the work in agriculture in the high school is planned and an instructor will be employed to give his entire time to agricultural teaching and experiment work.

GIVE FATHER PREFERENCE

France Accepts Plan to Intern War Prisoners in Switzerland.

Paris, Sept. 12.—Premier Briand announced today that the French government had decided to accept a proposal to intern in Switzerland all prisoners of war who are parents of three or more children and who have been in captivity for 18 months or more. The proposal is under the consideration of the Swiss government.

Well Known Mining Man Dead.
New York, Sept. 12.—Frank McMillan Stanton, 51 years old, prominent in copper mining circles, died today of intestinal trouble at his home in Whitestone, Long Island. Mr. Stanton formerly resided at Houghton, Mich.

GIVEN A LARGE FORTUNE

Kansas Man Unexpectedly Falls Heir to Half Million Estate.

Lawrence, Kan., Sept. 12.—J. O. Lovejoy of this city didn't know but what he was still dreaming today, or whether some romantic story of wealthy relatives leaving him a large fortune was preying on his mind. Totally unexpected Lovejoy learned that he is a direct heir to a part of a fortune of \$500,000 left by a wealthy reclusive who died last spring at Cincinnati.

The man who died was the cousin of Lovejoy's grandmother, but until a few days ago Lovejoy knew nothing of the existence of the estate. He learned the fortune he left at his death.

The first news the Lawrence man had of the substantial fortune that will be his after due process of law, came thru letters from other relatives who will share in the estate. The heirs will co-operate in securing a settlement of the estate and anticipate little trouble in concluding the matter satisfactorily.

FORM FAMILY ORGANIZATION.

Relatives of A. G. Johnson Gather at His Home for Reunion.

Osburg, Kan., Sept. 12.—A family reunion was planned by the Johnson family and invitations were sent out to all relatives to meet at the home of A. G. Johnson. About eighty of the relatives responded and a general good time was had. A permanent organization was completed and the intention was to hold these meetings annually. The relatives now number about 175. And at the next meeting, the first part of August, 1917, it is expected that 1,000 will be present.

A family tree drawn for the occasion with about 175 different branches and names on each branch was exhibited. And there was some talk of having an engraving made of same and have the tree preserved in this way for future reference. The sketch was drawn by Mrs. D. W. Johnson.

GIRL KEPT ASSAULT SECRET.

Farm Hand Held at Hutchinson for Attack on Widow's Child.

Hutchinson, Kan., Sept. 12.—Charged with criminally assaulting the 12 year old daughter of Mrs. James H. Hoston of Walnut township, Sam Slyter, aged 26, was brought to the county jail by Sheriff Tom Jennings. Slyter runs high in Walnut township and vicinity and there was some talk of a lynching yesterday but this was quickly quelled by Marshal George Fox of Sterling.

The little girl told the story to her mother Friday after waiting three weeks of silence. Upon learning the girl had confessed the old farm hand started away and was captured by Marshal Fox. He was driving a horse and had his trunk in the buggy.

NEW INSTRUCTORS AT HAYS.

Normal School Faculty Contains Six New Faces This Year.

Hays, Kan., Sept. 12.—The fall semester of the Hays normal school opens today. Indications are that the enrollment will be the largest in the history of the school. On account of the good roads it is expected that many of the pupils will come to school across country in automobiles.

Six new faces will greet the students in "faculty row"—Miss Irene, professor of rural economics; J. W. Read, professor of chemistry and geology; E. B. Brown, in physics; E. B. Matthews, the new head of the department of agriculture; Miss Helen Pestana, assistant professor of music; and Mrs. Sadie Mecler, assistant in rural education.

COLT SHOW FOR PENALOSA.

Stock Parade, Concerts, Ball Game and Stock Judging on Program.

Penalosa, Kan., Sept. 12.—Penalosa of late is getting on the map in very commendable style. Having pulled off a big two-day carnival with signal success, their next venture is to be a colt show which will take place next Friday, Sept. 15.

In addition to the display of colts, there will be a program occupying most of the day, consisting of a stock parade, band music, ball game, judging of live stock, etc.

GIVES CITY ATHLETIC FIELD.

St. John Receives Tract From C. A. Brown—Will Improve Park.

St. John, Kan., Sept. 12.—Brown Athletic field, a tract comprising almost two blocks of ground, has been formally accepted by the city as a gift from C. A. Brown, and the ground designated as a park, playground and athletic field for the use of the city and community. The mayor will appoint a commission to manage it and superintend the erection of buildings.

WHILE AT THE FAIR

While at the fair see all worth your while. Don't fail to call at A. C. Klingaman, druggist, 120 East Sixth street, and learn of the wonderful merits of Hazlett's Wild Cherry Compound, a medicine of true value in harmony with nature crude herbs. Hazlett's Wild Cherry in the last two months has made record sale in Topeka, due to the fact that it is a real medicine—one that gets the results. Hundreds of people are now working and feeling fine that two months past were unable to do anything. For the stomach, liver, kidneys and constipation no medicine has ever given the results as has Hazlett's Wild Cherry Compound. This week you can buy three one dollar packages of the crude herb compound for one dollar. Same will be mailed you. Phone 539. We will deliver. Why feel miserable? A dose tonight and you feel fine tomorrow. None are disappointed; you will be pleased.—Adv.

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IDEN TO LARNED NEWSPAPER.

Prominent Writer of Arkansas Will Work on Tiller and Toller.

Larned, Kan., Sept. 12.—Jay B. Iden of Rogers, Ark., will come here this week to take the place on the Tiller and Toller recently vacated by C. F. Butcher.

Mr. Iden is a writer of considerable reputation, and for years has contributed matter to the Kansas City Star and to a number of the magazines, and he probably will continue this work while engaged with the Tiller and Toller. For some time he has wanted to leave Arkansas and obtain a place on a Kansas country weekly.

For several years he wrote "Pleasant Valley Items" for the Kansas City Star, a column of fictitious country correspondence, which was read more widely than any feature which ever appeared in the Sunday Star.

FIVE HURT IN AUTO WRECK.

Ford Car, in Which Eskridge Boys Were Riding, Turns Over.

Eskridge, Kan., Sept. 12.—Five Eskridge boys were injured when an automobile driven by Fred Lear turned over about a mile and a half south of Alma. Fred Lear suffered the most severe injuries. His head was badly bruised and cut on both sides, both cheek bones were badly cut, his left ear nearly torn off, both insteps badly cut, his right arm hurt and his body badly bruised.

The other four occupants of the car were all more or less cut and bruised. Orvin Place was cut about the face, hands, arms and was badly bruised. W. K. Waugh received a bad bruise on the thigh after being hurled about twenty-five feet through the air. Eldin Farmer was badly bruised in the right hip. Raymond Baker was also injured in the hip and leg.

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